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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 16 May 2007 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

- d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendments to claims 2-4, 6, 8-9, 14, and 16 have been entered. The amendment to claim 1 will not be entered since the amendment is not consistent with the specification or the language of the other allowed claims. Specifically, claim recites that "the combined light by the combining the first component output,"



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